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We intend, for the future, to publiſh in this Paper, whatever ſhall come to our Hands, and will tend to inſtruct, and entertain our Readers, whether Moral, Natural, or Hiſtorical, &c. but nothing Political. To give the beſt Account of all Domeſtick Occurrences, by way of Journal; as alſo Extracts of what happens moſt remarkable Abroad, together with a Liſt of the Ships, the Prices of Stocks, Names, and Deſcriptions of Bankrupts, &c. And, in general, whatever elſe can render a Paper of this Nature uſeful and acceptable.

Sorte tuâ contentus abi.

AN antient Writer makes a ſharp Invective againſt this Vanity, that every Man complains that he is intolerably loaden with what he is moſt tied to: And that he is leſs mov'd with what concerns himſelf, than with other Mens Affairs; "For (ſays he) the "Man that hath no Children, thinks "nothing ſo unhappy as to be without them; he that is "poor, and hath a great Number, complains of nothing "elſe but that: He that has but one Child thinks it an "extream Miſery to have but one: He that has a beau"tiful Wife, conceives it a Misfortune to have her ſo "beautiful, ſeeing he can never be free from the curſed "Cares of Jealouſy: Is ſhe ugly? a worſe Match could "not have befallen him (cries he) for it is an intolerable "Vexation: If he lives obſcurely, he imagines nothing "could have happened more odious, or unpleaſant to "him: If he is a Soldier, it is a hard and laborious Em"ployment, he had rather live on Bread and Water than "endure ſuch Toil:——The Merchant ſeeing the "Countryman live at home in quiet, judgeth him en"tirely happy: The Husbandman ſays the ſame of the "Merchant, becauſe of his Wealth. Thus Mankind is "wholly given to repine, every Man condemning his "preſent Condition, and bearing a Mind over-whelm'd "with Diſcontent."——

The noted Fabuliſt ſets forth a certain witty Fable of the Aſs, who was continually deſirous to change his Maſter: For being with a Gardiner, he complained of his hard and grievous Uſage: Being with a Potter, he was ſorely gaul'd, continually being loaden with Clay and Bricks, and then could not but bewail his hard Fortune, and ſorrowfully wiſh for the Gardiner's Greens again; at laſt being ſold to a Tanner, he took on ſadly, and even curs'd his Life; for there they loaded him miſerably with the Skins of his Fellow Beaſts: He then could wiſh himſelf (but all in vain) with his old Maſters again.

Thus we ſee, that whoever are poſſeſs'd with ſo inconſtant a Temper, ere long perceive their Error, and wiſh they had never degraded from their firſt Condition. Good thereſore is the Advice of the old Poet, who thus joco'ſely diſcants on the foregoing Fable.

If adverſe Fortune bring to paſs,
And wilt that thou an Aſs muſt be,
Then be an Aſs, and live an Aſs;
For (out of Queſtion) wiſe is he,
Who undergoes with patient Mind,
The State that Chance has him aſſign'd.

Under which Fictions, Men of Underſtanding meant nothing leſs, than what *Horace* writeth in his firſt Satyr, where he reproves thoſe of his Time with a ſly, inſinuating Grace, of that inconſtant Humour that they would never ſtand to one Kind of Life, and that knew no *Medium*, nor put any Bound to their inſatiate Deſires.

The Soldier when his Strength remains no more,
Who many tedious Nights and wint'ry Storms has bore,
Commends the Merchant's Wealth; the Merchant, he,
When loſs'd by Billows of the boiſt'rous Sea,
Prays for the Soldier's happy Life: And why?
One Inſtant gives him Death, or Victory:
The Reverend Lawyer with his ſable Gown,
Wiſhes with all his Soul he were a Clown;
When at Cock crow, (altho' he ſat up late)
He hears his early Client at the Gate:
The Clown who lives far chance from London *far,*
When on ſome Buſineſs ſummon'd to the Bar,
Grins as he walks, and ſtares about the Streets,
And thinks all happy whom he meets.

Well ſaid *Socrates*, that ſecond *Solomon*: Life (ſays he) contented with what it hath, is like a ſhort and pleaſant Way, having much Delight and ſmall Trouble: And indeed (as *Herodotus* ſays) if all the Men in the World would bring their own Evils, and caſt them in one Heap to change with their Neighbours, after they had well view'd and ranſack'd them all, they would gladly go home again with their own that they brought. The wiſe *Cleobulus* was of the ſame Mind (ſays *Plutarch*); for ſpeaking of the ſetting out of the Quantity of Riches, that would be ſufficient for a Man, and wherewith he might content himſelf: As for the wiſe Men (ſays he) "The Law hath "preſcrib'd them a Meaſure; but for Fools, I'll tell them "this Tale; The Moon, upon a Time, deſir'd her Mo"ther to make her a Petticoat, that might fit cloſe to "her Body; and how is it poſſible (anſwer'd the Mother) "that I ſhould make one to fit thee, when thou art ſome "times full, then again decreaſing, and after increaſing." Even ſo can no Man aſſign any certain Meaſure of Wealth to a Fool, or a vicious Man, for now he hath need of one Thing, and then of another, according to the various Changing of his fickle Temper. Like *Æſop*'s Dog, who in the Winter lying cloſe, and couching round together, by Reaſon of the extream Cold, propos'd to build himſelf an Houſe; but in the Summer lying and ſleeping at his Length, he perceiv'd that he took up a great deal of Room, and thought it a needleſs Thing to build an Houſe, and the rather becauſe he perceiv'd it would be no ſmall Trouble to build one big enough.——

The very ſame Thing do we ſee in thoſe Perſons, who ſometimes play the Niggard, and ſtint themſelves to a ſmall Proportion, purpoſing to live ſtrictly and ſoberly, but then again on a ſudden, if they have not all that the greateſt Men poſſeſs, they preſently fall to complaining as tho' they were drove to the greateſt Want. Let us conclude then with this Maxim of *Horace*:

Who much deſire, of much have need.
Thrice happy he, whom God, indeed,
Tho' with a ſparing Hand doth feed.

H. R.

The Revengeful Temper of Apes.

THE Brute Creation imitates Mankind in ſeveral Things: They are ſenſible who has offended them, and ſtrive to retaliate the ſame upon all Occaſions. Whereof the following Narrative is an Inſtance not to be disbelieved.

When ſome Years ſince, the well-known Traveller, *Tavernier*, returned to *Surat* from the *Indian* Capital, *Agra*, belonging to the Great *Mogul*, and happened then to join upon the Road at *Amadabat* the Preſident of the *Engliſh* Commerce, whoſe Affairs call'd him alſo to *Surat*, they proceeded on their Journey, in two Coaches, about four or five *French* Leagues through a Wood of Trees call'd *Mangues*; upon which Trees they perceived many *Apes* of both Sexes, bearing their young ones in their Arms: The Preſident ordered his Coach to ſtop, and acquainted me that he had a good Gun, wherewith he had been preſented by the Governor of *Daman*, deſiring (knowing me a good Markſman) that I would make Trial upon one of the *Apes*; but having a Sign made me by one of my *Indian* Servants not to do it, I endeavoured all I could to perſuade the Preſident to deſiſt from his Purpoſe, but in vain; he made Uſe of his Gun himſelf, ſhot amongſt them and kill'd one of the Females, which remained hanging between two Branches, and letting fall the young ones upon the Ground, who had thereby the ſame Fate as their Mother. Immediately followed what my *Indian* Servant gave me to underſtand, by his winking upon me not to make Uſe of the Gun againſt any of thoſe Animals: All the *Apes* upon the *Mangues* Trees came down, above ſixty in Number, grim in their Looks, as if vowing Revenge for the Injury done to one of their Species, and with more Fierceneſs, becauſe a Female with her young ones were deſtroyed, whereof it ſeems they are extreamly fond and tender; they jump'd all, as if with an unanimous Reſolution, upon the Preſident's Coach, whom they would have infallibly ſtrangled, had the Coach not been immediately cloſed up on all Sides, and a good Number of Servants poſted round the ſame, to keep the inraged *Apes* from attaining and accompliſhing their Intent; but nevertheleſs did they purſue the Preſident's Coach above a Leage, while the Servants were forced to guard the ſame with the utmoſt Care, the *Apes* ſhewing, all the Way, their being bent upon revenging the Loſs of ſome of their Fellow-Creatures upon the Preſident's own Perſon, not offering any Thing to any other beſides. From the ſame Trees come the *Apes*, every Tueſday and Friday in the Week, into the City of *Amadabat*, as by a natural Inſtinct and common Conſent, and get upon the Tops of Houſes, where they are conſtantly ſupply'd with Rice and Sugar Canes; which if they ſhould not find, as an Attonement for their Loſs, they would not fail to untile the Bricks, and make great Deva'ſtations amongſt the Inhabitants, who care not to diſoblige them on Account of their uncommon Size, Strength, and Fierceneſs, but more particularly their innate Proneneſs to Revenge.

It is to be noted, that the *Apes* eat nothing before they have taſted every Thing well; and that they make always Proviſion, in both their Jaws, for the next Meal, before they fill their Bellies for the preſent.

SATURDAY, *October* 28.

THEY write from *Blandford*, the 25th Inſtant, that they had received, for the Uſe of the unhappy Sufferers by their late dreadful Fire, 70 l. which had been collected at *Reading*.

Yeſterday the Court of Directors of the *South-Sea* Company came to a Reſolution to ſuſpend their Trade in the Whale-Fiſhery, (until they receive Encouragement from Parliament) on Account of the great Loſſes they have ſuſtained by carrying it on, their Fiſhery this laſt Seaſon, which is one of the beſt they had met with, being far of a ſaving Account.

Laſt Thurſday in the Afternoon two Men were ſent down in the Sewer at *Hungerford*, in order to clean the ſame; and having been ſome Time under Ground, they found the Tide flow in ſo faſt upon them, that it was impoſſible for them to get out the ſame Way they came in; but having Lights, they came up as far as the Middle of *Pall-Mall* (having been near four Hours under Ground, and almoſt ſuffocated) and hallooed at a Gully-Hole, and alarmed ſeveral People in the Street, who immediately came to their Aſſiſtance, and with much Difficulty they were got out.

Marriages. On Thurſday laſt —— *Taylor*, Eſq; of *Lincolnſhire*, was married to Miſs *Lawrence* of *Putney*, a young Lady of a very plentiful Fortune.——The ſame Day *Daniel Pettywood*, Eſq; was married to Madam *Lant*, a Gentlewoman of a great Fortune.

[Price THREE HALF-PENCE.]

Death. Dr. *Mowfray* died on Thurſday Night laſt, Chairmen to the Committee of Gentlemen appointed by the *Charitable Corporation* for inſpecting their Affairs, and alſo Chairman to the Gentlemen appointed to conduct their Petition to Parliament.

MONDAY, *October* 30

On Saturday laſt the Flying Man being recover'd of his Bruiſes he receiv'd in his Attempt to fly from *Greenwich* Steeple, flew from the Steeple of the new Church at *Horſeydown*, in the Preſence of a numerous Crowd of Spectators.

On Friday laſt at the Horſe Races at *Newmarket* the Duke of *Bolton*'s black Colt ran againſt the Duke of *Devonſhire*'s brown Colt, for 200 Guineas, which was won by the former. The ſame Day the Earl of *Portmore*'s *Daffodil* ran againſt the Duke of *Bolton*'s grey Mare, for 200 Guineas, which was won by the former.

On Saturday Morning one Mr. *Criſp*, a Sadler near *Hyde-Park* Corner, was found drowned in the River of *Thames*, near *Hungerford* Stairs.

The ſame Day the Tryal that has been ſo long depending between the Widow of — *Lomax*, Eſq; of St. *Alban*'s, in Behalf of her Children, one Son and two Daughters, Infants, for an Eſtate of near 2000l. *per Annum*, came on at the Court of *King*'s-*Bench*, *Weſtminſter*. The Hearing began about Ten o'Clock in the Morning, and held till Ten at Night, when the Jury, after the Evidence was ſummed up by the Lord *Raymond*, were not abſent above four Minutes, and returned with a Verdict for the Heirs.

On Saturday Night laſt, between Eight and Nine o'Clock, a Land-Waiter fell off the Key into the River at *Billingſgate*, and was juſt expiring, when two Waterman leaped into a Boat and ſaved him.

Laſt Week as the Convicts who were brought from *Norwich*, in order for Tranſportation, were carrying down from *Tower-Wharf* to Merchant *Forward*'s Veſſel at *Deptford*, one of them leapt out and ſwam to Shore, and got clear off.

Robberies. On Friday in the Evening a ſingle Highwayman robb'd the *Cheſſhunt* Coach, near *Ponder*'s-*End*, who took from the Paſſengers upwards of 5l. and a Silver Watch; after which he committed ſeveral other Robberies on the ſame Road.——On Sunday Morning Mr. *Jackſon* was ſtopt by two Highwaymen, on that Part of *Finchley Common* next *Conev-Hatch*, who robb'd him of five Guineas, his Watch, Snuff-Box, and ſome Silver, and made off.

Preferments. The Rev. Mr. *Jaſper Gibbons*, M. A. was lately preſented by the Lord Chancellor to the Vicarage of *Rugby* in the County of *Northumberland* and Dioceſe of *Carliſle*, void by the Death of the laſt Incumbent. Laſt Week the Rev. Mr. *Platel*, M. A. was preſented by *John Ruſſe*, Eſq; to the Rectory of *Yeldham Magna* in *Eſſex*, in the Dioceſe of *London*.

Deaths. Laſt Sunday Morning died the Rev. Dr. *Oliver*, Rector of the United Pariſhes of St. *Mary Abchurch* and St. *Lawrence Pountney*.——The ſame Day died Mr. *Lawland*, formerly Maſter of the Draper's Company.——Mr. *Godfrey* died on Saturday Evening laſt, at his Houſe in *Saliſbury-Court*, late one of the Maſters in Chancery.

Bankrupts. Peter Boardman, of *Salford* in the County of *Lancaſter*, Maltſter.——*Robert Chandler*, late of *Iſlington* in the County of *Middleſex*, Carpenter.——*Anthony Weſtoby*, of *Brigg* in the County of *Lincoln*, Woolen-Draper.

TUESDAY, *October* 31.

Yeſterday being the Anniverſary of his Majeſty's Birth-Day, when his Majeſty enter'd into the 50th Year of his Age, the ſame was celebrated with all the Demonſtrations of Joy and Loyalty. There was a great Appearance at S. *James*'s of the Nobility, Gentry, Foreign Miniſters, *&c.* when his Majeſty received the uſual Compliments on the Solemnity of the Day; the *Park* and *Tower* Guns were diſcharged as uſual, and in the Evening there were Illuminations and Bonfires throughout the City and Suburbs, and at Night there was a Ball at Court.

The ſame Day the Right Hon. *John Barber*, Eſq; Lord Mayor of the City of *London* for the Year enſuing, being greatly indiſpos'd with the Gout, went in his Chair to *Weſtminſter*, where he was ſworn before the Barons of the Court of *Exchequer*; and after the uſual Ceremonies, return'd in his Chair to *Black-Friars*, and from thence proceeded in his Coach of State to dine at *Guildhall*, accompanied by the Aldermen and Sheriffs, the Judges, and many other Perſons of Diſtinction.

Commitment. A Woman to *Newgate*, for ſtealing a Silver Tankard from the *Swan* Alehouſe in *Fetter-Lane*.

Marriage. Laſt Saturday Major-General *Ruſſel* was married to Miſs *Barton*, Siſter to Mr. *Barton*, an eminent Mercer on *Ludgate-Hill*, a young Lady of a handſome Fortune.

Death. Laſt Friday in the Evening died, at his Lodgings in *Warwick-Lane*, *John Brett Fiſher*, of *Bexley* in *Kent*, Eſq; for which County he had been in the Commiſſion of the Peace above forty Years.

WEDNESDAY, *November* 1.

Yeſterday their Majeſties and the reſt of the Royal Family went from St. *James*'s to *Kenſington*, where they will continue for about a Fortnight.

The ſame Morning the Right Hon. Sir *Robert Walpole*, accompanied by ſeveral of the Nobility and other Perſons of Diſtinction, ſet out for his Seat of *Houghton* in *Norfolk*, where he will continue for three Weeks; for which Time the Treaſury is adjourn'd.

On Monday laſt Mrs. *Haggiſt*, who kept the *Falcon* Alehouſe at *Newington*, as ſhe was reading a News-Paper, dropt down dead in an Apopleſtick Fit.

The ſame Evening a Perſon endeavouring to force himſelf into *Goldſmith's-Hall*, had the Misfortune to have his Leg broke in the Conteſt.

Commitment. A Man to *Newgate*, for cutting off a Woman's Pocket on Monday laſt in *Cheapſide*, as ſhe ſtood to ſee the Proceſſion of the Lord Mayor to *Guildhall*.

Preferment. His Grace the Duke of *Norfolk* has been pleaſed to preſent the Rev. Mr. *Carr* to the Living of *Arundel* in *Suſſex*, void by the Death of the laſt Incumbent.

Death. Laſt Night died Mrs. *Cummins*, Relict of Mr. *Cummins*, formerly a noted *Virginia* Merchant.

Bankrupt. Nathan Denton, late of *Sneith* in the County of *York*, Flax-Dreſſer.

THURSDAY, *November* 2.

It is written from *Barcelona* the 26th of *October*, N. S. That all empty Ships and Barks in that Harbour were embargo'd, for tranſporting four Batallions of Foot, and eight Companies of Grenadiers to *Oran*, to reinforce that Garriſon, which was very much fatigu'd by the Attacks of the *Moors*.

They write from *Reading*, that ſome Days ago, one *Richard Boulter*, being digging in a Sand-Pit, with his little Son by him, perceiving the Bank to give Way above him, he took the Child up in his Arms, and threw him out, ſaying, *God bleſs thee, I ſhall never ſee thee more*, which Words he ſcarce pronounced before a great Part of the Bank fell in, and ſmothered him before any Relief came.

And from St. *Weonard*'s in *Herefordſhire*, that the Wife of a poor Man of that Pariſh was lately delivered of four Girls at a Birth, who died ſoon after; and it was obſervable, that this was her firſt Lying-in, and that ſhe had been married but a little above three Quarters of a Year.

Yeſterday there was a Board of Admiralty, when the Commiſſioners of the Navy and Victualling-Office, as alſo ſeveral of the eldeſt Captains, Lieutenants, Boatſwains, and Gunners that were ſummoned from ſeveral Ports, attended their Lordſhips accordingly, when his Majeſty's Commiſſion for ſettling a Corporation or Society, and thereby to raiſe a Fund, in order to make Proviſion for the Relief of all poor Commiſſion and Warrant Officers Widows and Children, was broke open, and read to them; but as yet their Lordſhips came to no Reſolution.

On Sunday next the Court will go into Mourning for a Month, for the Death of the King of *Sardinia*; the Gentlemen to wear black Cloaths full trimmed, with black Buttons and Buckles, but not Swords; the Ladies to wear black Silk, with plain or laced Linnen.

On Monday laſt a very remarkable Accident happened. One *Thomas Caton*, a Youth of about 18 or 19 Years of Age, whoſe Father is a Cabinet-maker in *Nine-Pin-Alley* in *Noble-ſtreet*, had purpoſed to ſee the Companies Proceſſion in their Barges up the River; but before he went out, he wrote upon a Piece of Paper his Name and Place of Abode. His Mother ſaid, *Tommy*, what are you writing? He anſwered, nothing but in Caſe of any Misfortune happening, they may know where I live. The Boat in which he went, happened to be ſunk, by the *Skinner*'s Barge, a Man and a Woman were pulled into the Barge by the Watermens Hooks, oppoſite *Somerſet-Stairs*; but he was drowned, and brought home the next Day by the Directions found in his Breeches Pocket.

A Threatning Letter was lately ſent by the Penny-Poſt to a Society of Clothworkers, ſuppoſed to be done by ſome or one of a Club of Journeymen, with intent to get their Wages raiſed, and believed to be by the ſame Perſons imagined to be the Inſtruments of ſetting Fire to Mr. *Barats*'s, a Maſter Clothworker lately in the *Old-Change*; for laſt Night a Journeyman Clothworker went to the Houſe of Mr. *Farrer*, one of the Company, and forced his Way up Stairs into his Kitchen, and put himſelf into a fighting Poſture, ſaying, d——mn me if you do not give me a good Character, you ſhall be the next that ſuffers; upon which Complaint, a Warrant was granted by Sir *Richard Brocas*, before whom he was brought, and committed to the Compter.

On Monday laſt *John Derbyſhire Burkett*, Eſq; Barriſter at Law, and one of the Commiſſioners of Bankrupts, had the Misfortune to break his Leg as he was ſtepping out of a Hackney-Coach in *Doctor's-Commons*.

Dover, Oct. 31. The latter End of laſt Week a middle-aged Woman was found under the Cliff, a little to the Eaſtward of *Dover-Caſtle*, ſuppoſed to have thrown herſelf off, ſhe having an Handkerchief tied over her Eyes, and another over her Mouth; her Head very much bruiſed, and a ſmall Wound on her Breaſt.

Robbery. Yeſterday *Abraham Johnſon*, Eſq; coming to Town from *Marlborough*, was attacked on *Hounſlow-Heath* by two Highwaymen, masked, who robbed him of 7l. in Money, and a Silver Watch. They afterwards robbed his Man of 19s. and a Portmantua which was behind him, belonging to his Maſter, in which were Cloaths and Linnen, with ſome Papers of Value.

Commitments. A Woman to the *Gatehouſe*, for picking a Gentleman's Pocket of a Silver Watch, three Guineas and a Half, and 15s. in Silver.——A Man to *Newgate*, for Horſe-ſtealing.

Preferment. The Rev. Mr. *Baker*, A. M. was lately preſented to the Vicarage of *Stamfordham* in the County of *Northumberland*, and Dioceſe of *Durham*, void by the Death of the laſt Incumbent

Marriage. On Sunday laſt Mr *Jones*, an eminent Apothecary at *Cripplegate*, was married to Miſs *Peers*, a near Relation of Sir *Charles Peers*, a young Lady of a handſome Fortune.

Deaths. Yeſterday in the Afternoon died Mr. *Samuel Martin*, who had been Clerk to the Commiſſioners of Sewers of this City near forty Years.——On Monday laſt died at *Canterbury* Mr. *Crawford*, an old Officer in the Navy, and Gunner of a firſt Rate Man of War.

FRIDAY, *November* 3.

Yeſterday his Majeſty's Houſhold and Livery Servants were begun to be paid their laſt Quarter's Salary, due at *Michaelmas* laſt, at the Cofferer's Office in *New-Palace Yard*, *Weſtminſter*.

On Thurſday next their Majeſties and the Royal Family will remove from *Kenſington* to *Richmond* for about a Fortnight.

Yeſterday there was a Board of Admiralty, when their Lordſhips were pleaſed to grant ſeveral Mediterranean Paſſes to the Outward-bound *Eaſt-India* Men, impowering them to make Reprizals on all Ships that ſhall attack them on the other Side of the *Cape*.

On Tueſday the 24th of *October* the Horſe-Races began at *Darlington* in the County of *Durham*, when Mr. *Cook*'s Bay Horſe *Fox-hunter* won the twenty Guineas; on Wedneſday *Matchim Tim*'s Cheſnut Mare the fifteen Guineas; and on Thurſday Mr. *Lambton*'s Dun Horſe the twenty Guineas. There were none book'd for the Purſe of twenty five Guineas, which ſhould have been run for on Friday.

On Thurſday the 26th paſt between Nine and Ten o'Clock at Night, a Fire broke out by an Accident unknown in the Windmill of the Widow *Pannell*, commonly called *Humber*'s Mill, in the Pariſh of St. *John Baptiſt*, in the Iſle of *Thanet*, which in leſs than an Hour's Time burnt down the ſaid Mill, to the great Impoveriſhment of the two poor Families who had their Dependance on it.

Yeſterday a young Gentleman was found drowned in a Pond near the Halfway-Houſe in *Stepney-Fields*; 'tis ſuppos'd he did it willfully.

Robbery. Yeſterday about Six o'Clock in the Evening a Shop-keeper in *Cheapſide* was ſtopt by two Highwaymen at the Bottom of *Barnet-Hill*, who took from him 25l. in Money and his Watch.

Commitments. A Woman to *Newgate*, for Shop-lifting.——Another Woman to *New-Priſon*, who hath made it her Buſineſs for ſome Time to entice Children into the Fields, ſtrip them, and ſell their Cloaths.

Preferments. Couthorpe Clayton, Eſq; Equerry to his Majeſty, is appointed Avener and Clerk-Marſhal to his Majeſty, in the room of Col. *Negus*, deceas'd.——At a Board of Admiralty held Yeſterday, their Lordſhips were pleaſed to appoint Mr. *Franſhaw* Commander of his Majeſty's Ship the *Fox*, and Mr. *Drummond* to the Command of the *Succeſs*, Sixth Rates of 20 Guns each.——His Majeſty has been pleaſed to promote —— *Gough*, Eſq; to be Brigadier in the ſecond Troop of Horſe-Guards, commanded by the Right Hon. the Earl of *Hertford*; and to appoint *John Brattle*, Eſq; to be Sub-Brigadier in the ſaid Troop.

Marriage. On Monday laſt Dr. *John Cook*, of *Leigh* in *Eſſex*, was married to Miſs *Elizabeth Bradley*, of the ſame Place, a young Gentlewoman of a handſome Fortune.

High Water at *London-Bridge*, Saturday the 4th of *Nov.* at 12 16 in the Morning, and 12 42 in the Afternoon.

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FOREIGN PORTS.

Venice, Oct. 24. *Arrived* Lawſon, Corney; Luſons, and Prince William, from *Lisbon*; Princeſs Royal, *Amſterdam*; Salmon, *Cork*; Tuſcany, *Newcaſtle*; John and Jane, *London*; Betty, Ouchterlon, *North Bergin.*

Barcelona, Oct. 26. *Arrived* Mary, Homans, from *Canſo*; White Horſe, Keate; Diligence, Gillios; Royalty, Wallis; Michael, Rawlings; Britannia, Hogg, *Newfoundland*; Globe, Brame, *England.*

Leghorn, Oct. 25. *Arrived* the Marſhal, Spink, from *Smyrna*; and the Matthew, from *Newfoundland. Sailed* the 21ſt Czarina, Pelham, for *London.*

Liſbon, Oct. 25. *Arrived* Thomas and Elizabeth, Alderton; Don Franciſco, Salter; King of Portugal, Hughs; Friends Adventure, Kennet; Orphan, Burford; Hope, Querk, from *England*; Elizabeth, Price; Union, Creedon; Swallow, Driſcol; Diligence, Skeys; Seahorſe, Tupper, *Ireland*; John and Mary, Wills; Carew, Roberts; Two Brothers, Jarvis; Ann and Francis, Kentsbeare, *Canſo*; George, May; Greyhound, Piercy; Ruſſel, Bailey; Mary, French; Elizabeth, Fry, *Newfoundland*; Kent, Wheeller, *Guinea*; Doplhia *Man of War*, Vincent; Betty, Pomeroy; Concord, Miller; Princeſs Amelia, Preſhaw; Gallipoli, Ayres; Friends Goodwill, Hilter; Two Brothers, Monier; Cæſar, Roch; Milcha, Wood; John and Margery, Keith; Hope, Gregg; Fortune, Hazlewood; Warden, Wigram; Cæſar, Burman; Briſtol Merchant, Marſhal; Sarah, Stafford, from the *Streights* and *Weſtern Iſlands.*

HOME PORTS.

Hull, Oct. 28. *Arrived* the George and Margaret, Porter; Seaflower, Seaman, from *Gottenburgh*; Poſtillion, Capleman, from *Amſterdam. Sailed* Concord, Hill, for *Hamburgh.*

Liverpoole, Oct. 29. *Arrived* Mary, Chaffers, from St. *Kitt's*; Liverpoole-Merchant, Goulding, *Virginia*; Good Intent, Williamſon, *Jamaica*; and the Providence, from *Carolina.*

Briſtol, Oct. 30. *Arrived* the Mordock, Williams; Martin, Beal, from *Virginia.*

Falmouth, Oct. 30. *Arrived* Prince Frederick, Levell, from *Liſbon*; Three Brothers, Oliver; Joſeph and Benjamin, Weſton, from *Southampton.*

Dartmouth, Oct. 29. *Arrived* the Emanuel and Sarah, Lawrence, from *Newfoundland. Sailed* Succeſs, Warwick, for *Cork*; Proſperous, Friend; Naveſtock, Rutter, *Oporto.*

Poul, Oct. 28. *Arrived* the Joſhua and Elizabeth, Weſton; William and Love, White, from *Newfoundland. Sailed* the Mary and Barbara, Harriſon, for *Seville.*

Cowes, Oct. 25. *Sailed* Charles Galley; Rogers, Lobſter, Chriſtoſſe; St. Jean and St. Paul, Dallort; Dunmer, Boyle, for the *Streights*; Tagus, Thorowgood; Edward and Mary, Hannam; Charming Nancy, Kerfoot; John and Charles, Maccaines; Totneſs, Sleigh; Margaret, Fowles, *Portugal*; Subtle, Howard, *Dublin*; Spaniſh Town Factor, Gray, *Jamaica*; Proſperity, Cummins, *Guinea*; Union, Callis, *New-York.*

Portſmouth, Oct. 28. *Sailed* Friends Deſire, Viner; Dove, Owen; Three Brothers, Roberts; and the Succeſs, for *Liſbon.*

Dover, Oct. 31. *Arrived* the Pearle, Frazier; Friendſhip, Biſhop; Betty, Drewit; Flaville, Burridge; Margaret, Brown, from the *Weſtward*, for *Holland*; Mary and Martha, Brapple, from *London*, for *Bilboa*; Suſannah and Hannah, Bailey, from *Petersburgh*; Thomas and Sarah, Donkin, from *North Bergin*; Expedition, Kirley, from *Hamburgh*, for the *Streights*; Patience, Foreman, from *Hamburgh*, for *Cadiz. Sailed* Suſannah, French, for *New-York.*

Deal, Nov. 1. *Arrived* Albany, Bryan, from *New-York*; Francis, Clack, *Virginia*; John, Weſt, *Mountſerat. Outward bound ſailed* St. George, Roberts; Mermaid, Seaman; Byam, Park; Anna Maria, Hewet; Martha, Culmer; Matthew, Howard; Douro, Landiſield, all for *Portugal*; Betty, Day; Prince, Bowles, for the *Streights*; Charming Betty, Eagleſton, for *Boſton*: Ark, Burrow; Prince of Orange, Maddowal, for St. *Kitts*; Proſperous-Solomon, Cobb, *Jamaica*; Richard, Carter, *Bilboa. Remain his Majeſty's Sloops the* Terrible; Bonetta; Shark; Cruizer; Trial; Fly, and Hound; alſo the Expedition, Gregory, for *Guinea.* Winds *Oct.* 26 SSE. 27 Calm. 28 W. by N. 29 N. 30 NW. 31 Calm. *Nov.* 1 E.

Gravesend, Nov. 1. *Arrived* the Fellows, Patterſon; Petersburgh Merchant, Harnet; Anna Maria, Belman; Cooper, Spoorne; Hopewell, Botterell; Stretton, Rowning; Robert and Ann, Thompſon; Fortune, Vandermiſſen; Flanders Merchant, Sain; Friend's Adventure, Manby; Delight, Bailey; Mary Ann, Long; Proſperous Evans, Bowls; Chandois, Jewers; Townſhend, Kelham; Carolus, Bringman; William, Worms; Anna Catherina, Simeſon; Proſperous John, Burton; Succeſs, Duſtin; Conſtant, Haerſon; Samuel and Mary, Holland; John and Henry, Darling; Loyalty, Deare; Diamond, Todd; John and Betty, Hudſon; Happy Return, Maſon; Darving, Darving; James and Suſana, Cane; Baltick Merchant, Prince; Olive Branch, Leaver; Lady Catherine, Overſon; Thomas and Suſana, Hill; Francis, Abbot; Havertſon-Hill, Metcalfe; Reſtauration, Procter; Sparrow, Nutman; John and Mary, Francis; Charming Betty, Humphrys; Mary Hopewell, Munday; John and Mary, Spurling; Betty and Mary, Southern; Edward and Elizabeth, Rowell; Hendrick, Brook; Conſtant Mary, Spack; God's Help, Lewmack; Society, Fowler; White-horſe, Blaneford; Young Jacob, Carſtens; John and Mary, Todd, all from the *Northward*; Catherine, Morriſon; Charming Jenny, Brooke; Lydia and Rachael. Laming; Two Brothers, Bricklow; Royal Vineyard, Brown; Moore, Moore, all from *France*; St. Joſeph, Delbarco; Providence, Clark; Hare, Baker, from *Spain*; Lilly, Townſhend; Nathaniel and Thomas, Hammond; Pearle, Robertſon, from the *Streights*; Welcome, Hewit; Clapham, Williams; Succeſs, Randal, from *Maryland*; Seaflower, Piper, from *Antigua*; and the Woolball, Daniel, from *Barbary.*

FOREIGN NEWS.

Hague, Oct. 11. N. S.

PRIVATE Letters from *Berlin* tell us a Story, which (if true) looks as if *France* watch'd only an Opportunity to fall out with the Court of *Pruſſia*. They ſay, the Marquis *de la Chetardie*, a raw and unexperienced Miniſter, had an Audience of the King of *Pruſſia* the other Day, when he deſired to know the Meaning of his Majeſty's aſſembling ſo many Forces between the *Elbe* and the *Oder*. The King told him, it was to exercise his Men, and to divert himſelf. The Marquis replied, that at that rate, whenever his Majeſty had a Mind to divert himſelf, all the neighbouring Powers muſt take the Field, which would neither be pleaſant, nor profitable. This ſo incens'd the King, that he gave the *French* Miniſter a tart Anſwer, and turn'd his Back upon him. Of all which the Marquis has given an Account to his Court.

We have received a Confirmation from *Lintz*, that in the late Interview between the Emperor and the King of *Pruſſia*, his *Imperial* Majeſty ſtrenuouſly inſiſted upon a Reconciliation with the Court of *Great Britain*, and an Accommodation of the Affair of the Succeſſion of *Berg* and *Juliers*: That with Regard to the former of thoſe Points, his *Imperial* Majeſty urged it the more, becauſe it was apparently the Intereſt of his *Pruſſian* Majeſty and his Family: And as for the other, to wit, the Succeſſion to the Duchies of *Berg* and *Juliers*, the Emperor wiſh'd his *Pruſſian* Majeſty to conſider, that if he would make no Conceſſion, the Empire muſt unavoidably be involved in War: That his *Imperial* Majeſty was heartily inclined to favour the King of *Pruſſia* in whatevet he reaſonably could; but that if Things were to be puſhed to Extremities, he ſhou'd be oblig'd, being requir'd ſo to do, to act as the Head of the Empire, and as ſupreme Judge between the contending Parties: That beſides it was well known, that *France* did not maintain ſo great a Number of Troops upon the Frontiers of the Empire, particularly in *Alſace* and the three Biſhopricks, for nothing, but to perform the Promiſe ſhe had made to the Elector *Palatine* and the Prince of *Sultzbach*, to ſupport their Pretenſions, and not ſuffer thoſe two Duchies to fall under the Dominion of a Proteſtant Prince. Theſe Letters add, that they have no great Hopes, on the other hand, on the Con *Von Kufflein*'s Succeſs, he having left the *Palatine* Court with a very lowring Countenance.

Leghorn, Oct. 10. On Monday Evening Count *de Charney* returned hither from *Florence*, after ſeeing Don *Carlos*'s Departure for *Parma*. Private Letters from *Port-Mahone*, adviſe, that an *Engliſh* Ship was arrived there from *Algier*, the Maſter whereof reported, that the Dey had aſſembled a great Body of Troops, with a Train of 40 Pieces of Cannon, under the Command of his Son, and had alſo armed 10 Ships, to go to cover by Sea the Workmen employed in fortifying the Town of *Moſtangan*, ſituate on the Coaſt of *Africa*, about 20 Leagues from *Oran*, which the *Spaniards* had threatned to attack the laſt Campaign. That the Duke *de Riperda* continued ſtill in the Plain before *Ceuta*. That the Army under his direction, was increaſed to 30000, and that it appear'd, his Deſign was to attack that Place in Form; however, as there is a ſtrong Garriſon in it, the *Spaniards* ſeem'd to be under no great Apprehenſions of Danger.

Genoa Oct. 11. On Sunday the Galley, Captain of our Squadron, arrived here from *Corſica*, with the Ship and the *Algerine* Slaves ſhe had lately taken near that Coaſt; And on Monday they brought theſe Slaves to the Palace, for the Doge and Senators to ſee them. The ſame Morning the Galley of *Sardinia* returned hither from *Maſſa*, where they had debarked the Prince of *Suſſous*, who ſet out laſt Tueſday for *Milan*, in his Return to *Vienna*; and the ſaid Gallies put to Sea the ſame Day for *Villa Franca*. A Galley is fitting out here for *Marſeilles*, to bring from thence the Marquiſs, who comes hither from *Spain* upon ſome private Affairs. On Thurſday a diſpatch Pink arrived here in 10 Days from *Barcelona*, with 70 *Swiſs*, whoſe Time of Service is expired.

Rome Oct. 18. On Thurſday laſt, a printed Ordinance of the Pope was poſted up in the publick Places of this City, containing ſome Regulations to be obſerved during Vacancies of the Holy See, and the Conclaves that ſhall be held for the new Election of Perſons to the Pontifical Throne. This Morning was carried through the City, the Head, Arms, and Body of a Man who was taken up out of the *Tiber* by Fiſhermen, near *Oſtia*, to ſee if any Body knew him; but as yet it is not diſcovered who he is. The Statue of St. *Peter*, which the Pope has cauſed to be made for the Church of *Paleſtine*, was ſent hence this Morning, under the Direction of *Signior Mocci* firſt Lieutenant of the Government.

Madril Oct. 21. A ſolemn funeral Service has been celebrated here for the late Duke *de St. Blaz*, who was killed in *Africa* in a Rencounter with the *Moors*, ſome Time after the taking of *Oran*. All the Grandees and Nobility here, as alſo the Generals and Officers, were preſent at this Ceremony, and the funeral Oration was pronounced by Father *de Soles* one of the Fryars of the Redemption of Captives. Particular Letters from *Palma* in the Iſland of *Majorca*, ſay, that an Order was come thither from the Court of *Spain* to the Captain General of the ſaid Iſland, to ſend to *Spain* the greateſt Part of his Garriſon, to be employed next Summer in a new Expedition, the Deſign whereof is not yet known. The *Algerine* Corſairs, in Revenge for the Loſs of *Oran*, are continually cruiſing on the Coaſt of *Spain*, where they took lately two *French* Ships, having on board the Wives and Children of the Regiment of *Sagonte*, which is in Garriſon at *Oran*, whither they were to ſettle, but found the Place too hot for them, on Account of the frequent Attacks of the *Moors*, which obliged them to quit the Place. The *Algerines* have no Regard either to Colours or Paſports of *France*, under Pretence of their Ships having tranſported Proviſions and Ammunition for the late Expedition to *Oran*.

Hague, Oct. 14. N. S. Our laſt Letters from *Seville* inſinuate, that the King of *Spain* is ſicker than ever; but that his Diſtemper, far from being mortal, is not ſo much as dangerous: They ſay he lies abed, and will not be ſhaved; and ſome add, that he has declared that he will not get up and dreſs himſelf, till the Coach is at the Door, ready to carry him to *S. Ildefonſo*, where he is abſolutely reſolv'd to abdicate. This is a tender Point to handle, and therefore we would not be underſtood to aſſert the Truth of it; nor yet would we forbear to mention it, leſt it ſhould come to paſs. The Queen, will, no doubt, recur to every Spring and Stratagem to prevent the Effect of ſuch a Reſolution; but many think ſhe will hardly ſucceed, having no longer any Motive to keep the Court in *Andaluſia*: The War in *Barbary* is at an End; and the *Moors* ſeem to have given over their Deſign upon *Ceuta*. That Princeſs has therefore no other Reſource that we know of, than to find ſome Reaſon for undertaking the Siege of *Gibraltar*, to which (they ſay) ſhe is greatly incited by the *Pope*'s Nuncio. The Holy Father has taken it into his Head (it ſeems) that the Court of *Great Britain* deſigns to introduce the *Engliſh* Form of Government there, and that this may in Time introduce the *Engliſh* Religion; which fills his Soul with terrible Alarms; for he fancies it would be *In Heretick*, *Out Catholick*; and that would be a grievous Change indeed! Wherefore the old Gentleman has written a Letter to the King of *Spain* about it, to work upon his timorous Conſcience; telling him that he may, if he pleaſes, alienate the Temporalities of any Part of his Dominions; but that he has no Right to alienate any Part of the Spiritualities, which depend entirely upon the Church. It is apprehended by ſome, that the Queen would ſacrifice many Things rather than loſe the Reins of Government; and that ſhe has pre-

tured this Letter from the Pope, to stir up his *Catholick* Majesty to recover that Fortress: An Undertaking, which would certainly cut out Work for a considerable Time, and involve the *Spaniards* in such Broils with the *English* Nation, as might find Employment for their Arms no Body knows how long. The Instances of the maritime Powers at *Seville* against the new-erected Company of the *Philippine* Islands, have produced a Declaration from *Don Joseph Patinho*, that the King his Master had no Intention to do any Thing contrary to the Treaties, or prejudicial to the Commerce and Rights of other Nations; but was willing that Conference should be enter'd into, for agreeing upon Expedients to obviate all Matter of Complaint: But this Declaration itself seems to be nothing else but an Expedient to gain Time, during which the Company may go on with their Enterprize, and make such a Progress, as to set them above the Fear of any Disaster. Letters from *Paris* give us a great Idea of the Court *de Mustapha*, who is going to *London*. They say his *Catholick* Majesty could not have pitch'd upon a Minister more capable of establishing a firm Friendship between the two Courts, and removing the Difficulties which have so long retarded the Restoring of a sincere and mutual Confidence. They have moreover discover'd, in their Conversation with that Minister, that he has the best Inclinations in the World; so that if his Negotiations are well received, as no doubt they will, every Thing must go according to Wish. This is their Sentiment of the Matter at *Paris*.

Declaration of the most Serene King of Poland.

We *Augustus* II. *&c. &c.* The End of the Troubles caused by the War in the *North* having given us Occasion to think maturely of Means to preserve Peace and Concord, nothing has been recommended with more Earnestness, on the Part of the States of our Kingdom, than the restoring the antient and good Understanding with our Neighbours, and securing a stable Peace and sincere Friendship. The constant Desire which we have always had to renew, particularly the Peace with the most serene King and Kingdom of *Sweden*, has evidently appeared, as well by the Care we have taken for that End, as by the Commission which the States, by Virtue of a publick Peace, had established by a general Dyet, held at *Grodno* in 1726, and in Consequence thereof we have neglected nothing for re-establishing, between *Poland* and *Sweden*, a perpetual Peace, unalterable and uninterrupted, even by Time itself, to strengthen the Friendship between the two Kingdoms, to efface the Memory of all Offences, and to obviate for the future all Pretexts which may in any Manner give Place thereto. We ought to render our most humble Thanks to God, the Author of Peace, for that which he has granted us by his Almighty Power, and as we are sensible that the King and States of *Sweden* have the same Inclination for Peace, as well by amicable Letters which his Majesty has wrote to us, as by his Minister, furnished with necessary Instructions for that End; and that furthermore, all which regards this Affair has been fully weighed and considered, in the Conferences held between the Commissaries of the Republick and the said Minister, we have not in the least hesitated to concur with every Thing which may contribute to re-establishing a firm and sincere Peace, to the mutual Advantage of both Kingdoms, on the antient Foundations of Friendship and good Neighbourhood: We have on our Part more readily contributed to the Conclusion of a Work so salutary, inasmuch as the Endeavours have been mutual, and we are willing to apply all our Care and Efforts for restoring of Concord between the two Nations, to the End that the Rights of Friendship, changed in any Manner by the Injury of the Times, may be restored to their antient Vigour; and that all that has been neglected, may be strengthened by a more solid Bond. Therefore, to the End that this sincere Inclination for re-establishing of Peace, good Neighbourhood, and a firm Friendship, which ought to be perpetual, sincere, and maintained for ever on both Sides, may be known to all the World, we declare by these present Letters, which, by Virtue of the Faith given and received reciprocally, shall have the same Force and Vigour as the solemn Acts and Instruments of Peace, we engage ourselves, and we will, as well for ourselves, as our Successors in the Kingdom of *Poland*, and in the Grand Dutchy of *Lithuania*, that all which may have happened to be done contrary to the Tenour of the preceding Treaty of Peace and Friendship, on Occasion of the late Troubles in the *North*, be intirely annulled, and put in eternal Oblivion, by Virtue of a general Amnesty; as also all that may have been undertaken to the Prejudice of either Nation, or have in any Manner troubled or offended the antient and good Neighbourhood formerly settled between *Poland* and *Sweden*, and so happily cultivated, that by Virtue of this present reciprocal and amicable Declaration, the Peace formerly made between the Confederate Kingdoms of *Poland* and *Sweden*, shall be not only maintained in the same Manner as if, on Occasion of the late Troubles in the *North*, there had happened not the least Alteration, but that it should be renewed, and settled again more solidly, between the respective Kingdoms, the Provinces annexed thereto, the States and Inhabitants of one Part and the other. That this Peace shall flourish for the future, as it flourished formerly; that it shall be universal, and shall last for ever, with sincere, true, and mutual Friendships that by Virtue of the present and mutual Consent, neither of the two Parties shall offer any Prejudice to the preceding perpetual Peace, much less undertake any Thing contrary thereto, in private or in publick, directly or indirectly, either by themselves or by others, but as soon as they shall perceive any Thing intended against this Peace, they shall give immediate Advice, and shall use all Endeavours to obviate the approaching Danger, in order to prevent and stifle in the Birth, the Evils either Party may be threaten'd with. For the greater Strengthning and Securing of this perpetual Peace, we have taken Care, that the Liberties, Constitutions and fundamental Rights of the two Kingdoms shall be preserved, maintained safe, entire, and inviolable for ever. We give by these Presents, and by Virtue of the Decree of the Diet of *Grodno* of the Year 1726, drawn up by common Consent, to this our Declaration, and all, and by all the same Force and Vigour, as the most solemn Acts of Peace and Alliance should have before, being exchanged against a like Declaration of the King and Kingdom of *Sweden*, and we have sign'd it with our own Hand, and sealed it with the Seal of our Kingdom.

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